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Amendment Transmittal Letter

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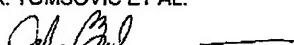
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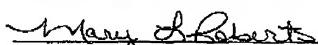
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Amendment A

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action mailed September 2, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for your consideration.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

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Reply of Office action of September 2, 2003

Amendments to the Title

Please amend the Title as follows:

FLUID FLOW DEVICE AND METHOD FOR POSITIONING GARMENT SIDE PANELS